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PRODUCTION OF OXANDROLONE) )  
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**AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Action mailed on June 20, 2003, please amend this application as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.